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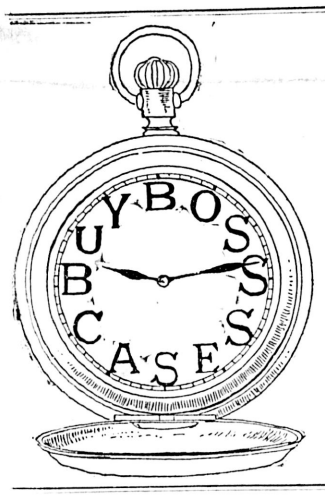

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NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that Mr. H. E. Croasdaile holds my Power of Attorney during my absence from British Columbia.

oct14-1m ROBERT DAY, Jr.

LOST.

Between Saturday and Sunday last, at or near Duncan's Station the following cheques: No. 112, drawn by the Dominion Department of Public Works, in favor of Gabriel for $69. No. 222, drawn by B. Gordon, in favor of D. Alexander for $94.25. No.——drawn by W. P. Jaynes, in favor of R. Wicks, for $50. No.——drawn by A. C. Fraser, in favor of James Kier for $137.

All parties are cautioned against negotiating the above cheques.

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—OF—

Government Lands

—IN—

ESQUIMALT DISTRICT

I am instructed by the Hon., the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, F. G. Vernon, Esq., to sell by public auction at the

SALESROOM STORE ST.,

Wednesday, 29th Inst

AT 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

All that piece or parcel of land known on the official map as

SECTION 98,

ESQUIMALT DISTRICT,

Containing 340 acres more or less

which has been surveyed and sub-divided and will be sold in

Lots of from 2 to 20 Acres,

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A great portion of this property is situated in Esquimalt Harbor, and on both sides of the road after crossing Parson's Bridge.

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One-third down, one-third in six months, one-third in 12 months, at six per cent. per annum. Title, Crown Land Deeds at purchaser's expense.

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I am instructed to sell by public auction at the Salesroom, Store street, on

WEDNESDAY next, 15th Inst.

AT 11 A. M.

A quantity of

CALCIMED PLASTER,

which will be sold in quantities to suit.

Also a quantity of other articles.

W. R. CLARKE,

oct14 Auctioneer.

Painting Shot and Shell.

TENDERS FOR SCRAPING and painting about 2,841 Shot and Shell will be received until 10 A. M. sharp, on MONDAY next, the 20th instant.

Particulars may be obtained on personal application.

Tenders to be endorsed "Shot and Shell."

JAMES H. INNES,
Naval Storekeeper.

Royal Naval Yard, Esquimalt,
13th October, 1890.
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"Creditors Trust Deeds Act, 1890."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT Daniel McPhadden, residing in the city of Victoria, in the Province of British Columbia, contractor, has by deed dated the 6th day of October, A. D. 1890, and executed by the said Daniel McPhadden on the said 6th day of October, made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors to John Nicholles of the said city of Victoria, merchant, and James Muirhead, also of the said city of Victoria, planing mill owner.

Said deed was executed by the said John Nicholles on the 9th day of October, 1890.

Victoria, B.C., October 13th, 1890. oct14-1w

TERRIBLE FATALITY.

Six Persons Burned to Death and Thirteen Severely Injured in a London Fire.

All Means of Escape, Except the Windows, Cut Off by the Flames.

Five Women Killed in Jumping from the Upper Stories of the Burning Building.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—A fire this morning destroyed the four-story building on Middle street, occupied by Rowley & Brock, manufacturers of hats, caps and helmets, and government contractors for military head-gears, six persons being burned to death and thirteen severely injured. The premises occupied a frontage of thirty feet on Middle street, the same on Clothfair, and thence extended fifty feet to Newberry street, where was the employees' entrance. The fire started in a workshop on the upper floor at 1 o'clock. At the time thirty persons were in the building. Within two minutes from the time the fire was discovered the building was wrapped in flames, which spread so rapidly that the employes found every avenue of escape, except the windows, shut off. Through these a number of them jumped to the street, and five women employed by the firm were killed by attempting to escape in this manner.

Another dispatch says: The terrible scenes at to-day's fire in Rowley & Brock's cloth factory, and the fatalities resulting therefrom, have drawn public attention in a striking manner to a serious defect in the construction of the buildings in London, namely, the absence of fire escapes. The lives sacrificed at to-day's fire could have been saved if the building had been provided with external means of exit. Fire escapes are practically unknown in London. Here and there an individual property owner may provide something of the kind voluntarily, but there is no law compelling their construction. Were it not for the fact that the buildings are comparatively low and solidly constructed, the loss of life at fires would doubtless be much more frequent than it is.

CROFTERS COMING.

Progress of the Scheme to Settle Them in British Columbia.

The immigration project touched upon briefly by Sir George Baden-Powell, is the same originated and now being furthered in England by Mr. Alexander Begg, as special commissioner for British Columbia. Sir George states that the plan is received with favor by the Imperial government, and is fairly certain of being carried out. He is thoroughly satisfied with the information given him by Premier Robson in reference to the government's offer in the contract, and so will report, through the special House committee, to parliament.

The report of the committee being adopted, as it doubtless will be, a specific sum of money will be set aside by the Imperial government to be used in assisting Scottish crofters, who desire to emigrate to British Columbia, and settling them on the West coast of Vancouver Island, where they will find congenial employment in which they can engage with profit to themselves and to the country. From the samples of the Crofters at present in Victoria, it is seen that they are the most hardy, skillful and adventurous fishermen, good citizens, and industrious honest men. As such they will be a decided acquisition to British Columbia. The money required for settling the 1,200 families in various parts of the province, is to be repaid in time with interest by the Crofters themselves, the government here merely endorsing their promise. It is not at all likely that the Crofters will fail in their obligations. They are to be interested in cannery work, the manufacture of fish oils, sealing, farming and sheep raising.

MASSAGE.

What It Is and What It Claims To Do.

A good many people want to know what massage means. Some think that it is a new drug. Others have jumped to the conclusion that it is the latest patent medicine out. Most of those who have heard of it believe that it has something to do with the treatment of the sick and ailing, but what it exactly is comparatively few know. Well, then, massage is nothing more than a system of rubbing and kneading and pinching and manipulating in various other ways the bodies of persons affected by diseases of several kinds. It is said by its advocates to be very effective, particularly in ailments that affect the muscles and the joints and the nerves. The massage treatment has become quite popular in Europe and the United States. Those who practice it are to be found in every city of any size. They claim to be very successful, and the enquirer is told of surprising cures that they have effected. Some of these accounts are perhaps true, and some of them, no doubt, are entitled to the same degree of credence as testimonials to the curative effect of patent medicines. Every kind of treatment cures, for the simple reason that most of people who are ailing will get well sooner or later. Nature does a great deal of curative work for which she gets no credit. There is this, at any rate, to be said of the massage treatment, if it does no good, the rubbing and kneading and pinching can do no harm. The treatment is said to be very ancient. Those who favor massage say that it was practised by the Egyptians and the Greeks, and almost every youngster knows that a simple form of it is practised in certain cases by anxious mothers and kind hearted aunties. Galvanism, or some other form of electricity, is used in connection with the massage, but whether it hastens or retards cure is for the regular practitioner to say.

LIBERAL REWARD.

LOST between Victoria and Esquimalt a red leather purse containing bank bills on the Columbia Bank of Sehome, Washington; also promissory notes and a ticket between Victoria and Port Townsend. The finder will be liberally rewarded by leaving the same at this office or Frank Campbell's. oct14

Esquimalt : Church : Bazaar

In aid of Rectory Fund, will be held at the BLUE RIBBON HALL,

SATURDAY, Oct. 18th,

FROM 2 to 9 P. M.

A sale of fancy work, Oriental curios and cloths, fret work, &c.

By kind permission the band H. M. S. Warspite will perform in the afternoon, and a minstrel performance will be given in the evening at 7 P. M.

Free pass on the Tramway, and entrance to Bazaar 25 cents. oct14

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.

SEPARATE OR WHOLE TENDERS WILL be received by the undersigned until Thursday, 4 p. m., 23rd inst., for the erection of a four story brick building in Broad street. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

EDWD. MALLANDAINE,
oct14 Architect.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

Fire in San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—Fire, which started in a livery stable belonging to Richard & Piece, 628 Mission street, to-night, destroyed a number of rookeries and damaged property to the extent of $20,000. The buildings were mostly frames, the lower portions stores and the upper portions tenements. As very few families had any insurance, the loss will be keenly felt by them.

The Nymphe at 'Frisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 12.—The British man-of-war Nymphe arrived here to-day from Esquimalt.

A Large Coffin.

TACOMA, Oct. 12—Yesterday, in compliance with an order from Buckly, in this county, Undertaker Hoska had a coffin made and shipped to that village to accommodate "a woman six feet four inches in height." Who it was designed for is unknown.

A Sailor's Death.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—David Nash, a sailor, 40 years of age, while hoisting a boat on board the schooner O. H. White, this afternoon, fell from the boat, a distance of 45 feet, and was killed.

A Child's Fall.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—The condition of Colonel Fred. Crocker's six-year old son, who fell from a bannister and fractured his skull, yesterday, was unchangen this afternoon. Colonel Crocker when seen said: "My boy is neither better nor worse, but the physicians take a hopeful view of the case."

A Lottery Swindler.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13. — One of the bondsmen of Henry Lichenstein, who was fined $400 for having lottery tickets in his possession, to-day paid the fine. Lichenstein appealed his case, gave bonds, and disappeared. The judgment of the lower court was affirmed. The detective who made the arrest says that before his departure Lichenstein swindled a number of lottery companies out of about $7,000 by getting tickets from them and failing to pay. He is believed to be in Denver, Col.

A Rough Voyage.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—The schooner Golden Fleece, Capt. Holland, arrived from Jaluit, in the Marshall group, after a voyage of 47 days, during which some unusually heavy weather was encountered. About three weeks ago the schooner got into a revolving storm, and was obliged to lay to for 24 hours. The wind was blowing a hurricane and went twice around the compass, and Capt. Holland said this morning that there was a terrific sea on during the storm, the waves rising above the little craft and threatening to engulf her each moment. Luckily, however, only one heavy sea was shipped which did no further damage than to wash everything movable off the deck. Capt. Holland did not bring any news of the uprising of the natives against the Spaniards at Ponape and other places in the Carolines.

Shipping.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 13.—Cleared—Str. Jeannie for Port Townsend.

PORT CRESCENT NOTES.

Politics Warming Up—Railroad Work and Other Public Improvements.

The Republican campaign began at Port Crescent with a meeting last evening. Speeches were made by Messrs. Foster, Gray, Gay and Smith, of Port Angeles. Editor B. J. Baker, of this place, is the Republican candidate for Auditor and will make a vigorous canvass of the county.

Plans and specifications for the new schoolhouse and church have been completed and the building will be erected by November 1st.

Assistant Engineer A. J. Blackwood and his corps of surveyors have been out the past week working on the permanent survey for the Victoria, Port Crescent and Chehalis railroad. They are now some distance in the interior.

The letting of the contracts for clearing of the right of way for the first section of the Victoria, Port Crescent and Chehalis railroad attracted numerous bidders. The work will be pushed with vigor.

The preliminary work on the breakwater is progressing satisfactorily since the big blast, and upon the arrival of the steel rails from San Francisco the tracks will be laid for the large number of new cars which have been brought to use in conveying the rock on the breakwater.

New contracts have been let for clearing the south end of the townsite, and the grading of Crescent avenue has been pushed during the fine weather.

We are in receipt of advance shipments of Christmas goods, T. N. Hibben & Co.

All the papers at Daley's.

Tourist guides at Daley's.

Postage stamp albums, from 50c. to $2 each, at T. N. Hibben & Co.

Combs and brushware at Daley's.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Mr. Gladstone Declines to Receive a Deputation of Scottish Home Rulers.

Impressive Funeral Services for the Late Mrs. Booth, of the Salvation Army.

O'Brien and Dillon May Yet Be Captured—O'Connor Leaves England for Canada.

The Socialist Congress.

HALLE, Oct. 13. — In the course of a speech delivered in the Socialist congress to-day by Herr Singer, the speaker pointed out that the presence at the congress of delegates from London, Paris, Geneva, Copenhagen, Vienna, Warsaw, Stockholm and the Hague, fulfilled the prediction of Karl Marx that the proletarians of the world would yet combine to discharge the mission of socialism and liberate suffering humanity. Letters expressing sympathy with the object of the congress were read from America, France, Austria, Italy and England. The Italian socialists also sent an address, which was read. The congress has concluded to allow eleven members who had no formal mandates as delegates to vote.

The Dock Laborers' Strike.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Some of the corn porters employed by the Allan Line on board the steamer Grecian, have again gone on striko for an advance in wages. A joint committee of the London and India docks, in order to avoid in future disputes likely to precipitate a crisis, engaged a permanent staff of laborers at the rate of 24 shillings weekly to meet any emergency that may arise. It is believed that in this way the dock companies will be able to obtain all labor they require. At present 500 men are needed in each department.

The Co-Operative Movement.

MARSEILLES, Oct. 13. — A committee of the international co-operative trade societies congress entertained the foreign delegates to-day. Senator De Carel and deputies Siegfried and Argelies were present. A toast to the extension of the co-operative movement was received with applause.

Strike at Limerick.

LIMERICK, Oct. 13.—There is a partial strike among the dockmen here for an increase of one shilling in their wages.

Scottish Home Rule.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—Mr. Gladstone has declined to receive the deputation which waited upon him from the Scottish home rule association of Edinburgh. This association recently sent a circular to the various Scottish liberal associations protesting against the policy of the liberal officials towards the Scottish home rule movement and explaining the reasons for their protest. This document was submitted to Mr. Gladstone at a meeting of the labor federation at Kildysart to-day.

Swiss Politics.

BERNE, Oct. 13.—A telegraphic despatch has been sent to Colonel Kuentzli, federal commissioner in the Canton of Ione, signed by the Federal Council, allowing him to postpone the establishment of a government in the Canton until Tuesday. Colonel Kuentzli tendered his resignation on the ground that any attempt to carry out the order of the Federal Council to restore an ultramontane government would be the cause of bloodshed.

Russian Grand Duke Insane.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—It has been learned that at the close of the Russian military manœuvers in Velhynia the Grand Duke Nicholas, who had chief command, suddenly became insane from the effects of a disease from which he has long suffered. Melancholy and heart-rending scenes ensued until he was removed to General Martoroff's estate in Don Steppes. Physicians declare his condition hopeless.

May Yet Be Captured.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—It is officially stated that if the Government are certain Dillon and O'Brien are aboard a vessel flying the British flag, they will order a man-of-war to be despatched from Halifax to intercept the vessel ard arrest the fugitives. In that case the prisoners will at once be brought back to Ireland. The general belief, however, is that they took a French steamer from Havre.

Funeral of Mrs. Booth.

LONDON, Oct. 13.—The funeral services, to-day, for the late Mrs. Booth, wife of the Commander-in-Chief of the Salvation Army, were very impressive, not merely because of the enormous crowd present in the Olympic, estimated at 25,000 persons, but because of the evident genuineness of the grief and respect shown by this great multitude of mourners. The scene in the vast Amphitheatre was a singular and impressive one. The dense fog which hung over the city penetrated the building and almost obscured the view of the assemblage from one another. The weird effect thus produced was added to during the frequent pauses in the service, when the death-like stillness was broken only by sobs and sorrowful ejaculations here and there in the hall. The service was more touching and grand in its simplicity than many regal funeral ceremonies.

O'Conner, the Sculler, Sails.

LONDON, Oct. 12—William O'Connor sailed yesterday on the Umbria. He has completed the details of a match with Kemp for next year in America for the sculling championship of the world. O'Connor gave Richard K. Fox $500 as his first deposit for the match. The American sculler says he was never better in his life, and means to keep himself steady and try his hardest to win. O'Connor says he is backing himself for the coming race, which probably will be rowed on some course in California. Kemp will not leave Australia for several weeks yet. He will take Neilson to train him. O'Connor says that the people of Australia think that Kemp is a better man than Stansbury, who beat O'Connor twice this year, but he thinks Kemp far below the other man, and feels confident of winning.

Searching for Dillon and O'Brien.

QUEENSTOWN, Oct. 12.—Detectives have been scouring Queenstown harbor in boats all day, searching for Dillon and O'Brien. They boarded the steamers Umbria and Wisconsin, and all tugs and tenders. They also searched all incoming mail trains. The authorities evidently believe that Dillon and O'Brien have not yet sailed. Deasey and Lane, members of parliament, boarded the Umbria, causing intense curiosity.

Irish Patriot's Wife Badly Hurt.

LONDON, Oct. 12.—The wife of Arthur O'Connor, member of parliament for East Donegal, was found, to-day, lying unconscious in a pool of blood at Walworth road station. One of her thighs was broken and she had several severe wounds in her head. It is supposed she fell from the platform of the Walworth road station to the street beneath.

AMERICAN NEWS.

Death of Justice Miller.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 13.—Justice Miller died at 10:52 o'clock to-night.

Samuel Freeman Miller was born in Richmond, Ky., April 5th, 1816. He graduated at the medical department of Transylvania, University, Kentucky, in 1838, practicing for a short time, and afterwards became a lawyer. He was strongly in favor of emancipation, and did much to further that cause, and, although he took no part in politics, the course of public affairs induced him to remove in 1850 from Kentucky to Iowa, where he became a leader of the Republican party. He was offered and declined numerous state and local offices, and devoted himself to his profession, in which he took high rank. In 1862 he was appointed by President Lincoln associate justice of the U. S. Supreme court, which office he held until his death.

Death of General Belknap.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Oct. 13.—Ex-Secretary of War Belknap was found dead in his office, at his rooms, 14th and New York avenue, this morning. It is not yet known what was the immediate cause of his death. The deceased has been in ill health for some time past. His family was absent and the General has been lodging in his office. The coroner has been summoned to make an examination of the case, pending which no one will be admitted to the rooms in which the body lies. Gen. Belknap was born at Newburg, N. Y., in 1820. He studied law and practised at Keokuk, Iowa, where he was elected to the legislature as a Democrat in 1857. At the beginning as the civil war he joined a volunteer regiment as major. He was engaged at Shiloh and Vicksburg, and became somewhat prominent in Sherman's march to the sea, receiving promotion as major-general. After the war he was a collector of inland revenue in Iowa, and was appointed secretary of war in 1869, retaining the office in Grant's second administration. He was impeached and tried on charges of receiving bribes for the appointment of post traders, but was acquitted on the technical ground of want of jurisdiction.

Lost With All on Board.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—A telegram from Boston confirms the report of the loss at sea of the American ship Magellan, which sailed from Boston on May 10th last with a cargo of oil for Valparaiso. The telegram says Hemingway & Brown, the consignors of the cargo, received a cable despatch from Valapraiso, stating that the German barque Para, which arrived at that port, reported passing the Magellan, abandoned and in a water-logged condition, in August. The look-out of the Para sighted a corpse lashed to a spar. The Magellan was commanded by Capt. Marshall, and, it is believed, that every one on board perished.

A Heavy Sentence.

LAWRENCE, Mass., Oct. 13. — In the Supreme court to-day Wm. McKanna, of Lawrence and Haverhill, known as the king of horse thieves, was sentenced, under the habitual criminal law to 35 years in the State prison.

A Light-Weight's Challenge.

NEW YORK, Oct. 13.—A special was received to-day from Des Moines stating that Billy Hawkins, light-weight champion of the West, has issued a challenge to fight any light-weight in the United States for $1,000 a side.

A SUNDAY FIRE.

The Residence of Mr. C. A. Goffin Partially Consumed.

City Police Officer James Smith, whose duty it is to patrol James Bay ward, during the hours of the night, noticed a bright glare in the direction of Birdcage Walk at about 5 o'clock on Sunday morning. He at first thought that some of the shipping was on fire, but on closer investigation found that the flames proceeded from the residence of Mr. C. A. Goffin. The firemen were summoned by an alarm from box 63, corner of Humboldt street and Churchway, quite a distance from the scene of the fire. On reaching the burning house, it was found that Mrs. Goffin and her children were awakened by the flames not too soon. They were on the balcony when the first stream of water was turned on.

No time was lost in subduing the flames, which had obtained good headway, and the principal living rooms were saved from much damage by fire. The kitchen and adjoining rooms suffered to the extent of about $1,000, and the flames, getting between the framing and the roof, proved very stubborn, as well as hard to reach with water After about two hours' work the firemen returned to the city. The fire is supposed to have been created by live ashes left in a wooden box by a careless Chinese servant. The building is a two story frame, owned by Ald. A. G. Smith, and insured for $2,600.

Gaskell's Compendium of Forms at Daley's.

Dennison's French tissue paper for flower making at Daley's.

THE CASE OPENED

Against the Alleged Horse Poisoners, Renwick and Baldwin.

Finding that the evidence in their possession pointed more to a case of horse drugging previously unannounced, the parties who caused the arrest of Frank Baldwin. and George Renwick on Saturday night, yesterday amended their information to accuse them of "doing" the horse John L., instead of Joe Wynne.

Two o'clock was fixed for the hearing of the case by Mr. Robert Ward, J.P., and at the hour mentioned the attendance of interested sporting men was sufficient to more than fill the Provincial Court room. Accordingly the case was heard in the larger County Court room. The information of G. M. Rouse was read by the presiding magistrate, in which the deponent stated that he had reason to believe that the two prisoners, on Saturday afternoon last, maliciously injured the horse John L. by administering to him certain noxious drugs,

Mr. S. P. Mills announced that he appeared for the defence, and Sergt. Langley proceeded to call witnesses for the prosecution. Mr. Eberts (Eberts & Taylor) was present to watch the case for the Victoria Jockey Club.

Before the first witness was called, Mr. Mills demanded that the Sergeant of Police open his case with a summary of the evidence he intended to offer.

Sergt. Langley said that he was not bound to state his case.

His honor did not feel compelled to request the Sergeant to make a speech.

Mr. Mills asserted that he had a right to demand a resume of the evidence.

Sergt. Langley replied that his evidence would be for the purpose of proving the charge laid. (General smile).

His honor decided that no further details could demanded by the defence, and

Henry Stone was called by the prosecution. He deposed to being a horse trainer of Ellensburg, Wn. Came to Victoria on Friday night to attend the races. Was talking to McClure, the owner of Donald, near the stables on Saturday afternoon, when Renwick and Baldwin came up. Baldwin put his hand in his pocket and handed a vial to Renwick, with the remark "I have lifted the cover of the pail and poured half of the stuff into it. It's enough to kill the —— of a ——. He can't win this next heat." Renwick replied "I hope it wont kill him. There's 20 parts aconite and 10 of laudanum in the stuff.—enough to fix four or five horses." Had seen both prisoners on Friday night at the Pritchard house. Renwick was then buying pools heavily. Before the conversation related, one heat had been run between John L. and Lumpy, and won by the former. Lumpy won the second and third heats with ease. Did not see John L. afterward.

To Mr. Mills—Lived at Ellensburg for about eight years.

Counsel for the defence asked for further particulars of the witness' places of residence, and the witness, amid a murmur of laughter, inquired if the counsel wished a detailed history of his life. Mr. Mills replied that this was what he wanted, and Stone proceeded to recite incidents of his life from the time of his birth on the banks of the beautiful St. Lawrence.

Perry W. McClure, of Seattle, came to Victoria to attend the races on Tuesday last. Brought one horse with him, the pacer Donald. Had seen Renwick and Baldwin here. Saw them on Saturday afternoon at the Driving Park. Had no convesation with them. While with Mr. Stone he (witness) heard Baldwin tell Renwick that he emptied "this," something he had in a bott'e, into the pail. Witness was walking to the stable when he heard the conversation referred to.

J. W. Wills, owner of John L., gave evidence of the horse's sickness, and the case was adjourned until 2 p. m. to-day, in order that certain professional evidence might be obtained by the prosection.

A GIRLS' PICNIC BROKEN UP

By a Juvenile "Jack the Ripper," Who Gets Two Years Penitentiary for His Trouble.

(Inland Sentinel).

On Saturday last a party of half a dozen little girls started out over the hills to the south of Kamloops to enjoy an afternoon's picnic. Their pleasures were broken in upon by Thos. Church, a young lad in the employ of Hull Bros. as a cowboy. He amused himself by chasing the girls around the hills, running one of them down with his horse, and frightening them almost out of their wits. Several of the party separated from the others and came to town, when Rev. J. W. Hall and Mr. J. E. Sinclair went to the rescue of the picnicers.

On Tuesday Church was arraigned before Justices of the Peace McIntosh and Sullivan, charged with assaulting Ruby Kid by striking her with a stone, and with knocking Hattie Cooney down with his horse with intent to do grievous bodily injury. After a preliminary hearing of the case Church was committed for trial.

The boy elected to be tried by the Speedy Trials Act, and was arraigned before Mr. Justice Walkem this afternoon. It was shown that Church had shamefully abused the girls in chasing them around a rough ravine, and had them almost in hysterics by threatening to cut their hearts out, claiming to be a second "Jack the Ripper."

The Court found the prisoner guilty, and, after giving him some sound advice, sentenced him to two years in the penitentiary at New Westminster.

ASPINWALL'S GREAT CALAMITY.

The Whole of the City Front Destroyed by Fire—Great Distress.

A letter from Panama gives particulars of the fire at Aspinwall. It says that the loss was over $1,000,000. Official reports assert that the fire originated from a kerosene lamp, which exploded or was overturned in a small house on Bolivar street, near the Electric Light company's works. Thence it spread southward along the peninsula on which the city is situated, and defied all efforts until about 7 a. m. When the flames reached the market they died out. The section consumed embraced the whole of the city front, and everything consumable was destroyed, leaving a few stone walls where stood business houses, buildings in which for years a large general business had been done. The railroad company is a heavy loser in cars, while shippers and consignees of through cargoes report the loss of at least ninety carloads of freight. The Pacific mail dock suffered no damage, but several of the others were damaged. All the principal business houses were destroyed. The suffering and destitution resulting everywhere from the fire strike with extreme bitterness and severity on a population which is at present totally dependent on transient work for means of subsistence. If means of transport free to other sections where work offers be not afforded to the unfortunate sufferers by this calamity, a crisis is certain to ensue. There is nothing on which to employ the homeless, and starvation stares them in the face.

A SUCCESSFUL CAREER.

(Montreal Gazette.)

Sir George Baden-Powell, M.P., who is at present in Canada, is one of the most successful of the younger generation of statesmen. Our middle-aged readers may recall the storm that was raised some thirty years ago (a storm that seems strangely uncalled for in the retrospect) by the publication of the "Essays and Reviews." One of the most distinguished of the divines and scholars who contributed to that epoch-making work was the Rev. Baden-Powell, professor of geometry in the university of Oxford, who died in the same year in which it appeared. He left a son, however, who inherited a large share of his ability, but who chose a more stirring sphere for the exercise of his gifts than the cloistered quietude of Oxford. The father of the professor was a Kentish squire, who in 1832 became high sheriff of his county. The maternal grandfather of Sir George was a distinguished sailor, not unknown in the walks of science, Admiral W. H. Smith, K.S.F., D.C.L., F.R.S.

It is of interest to the student of new world exploration and settlement to know that Admiral Smith was a descendant of the famous John Smith, of Virginia, and the Pocahontas legend. It will be seen, then, that Sir George Baden-Powell is at no loss for illustration in his own person of the principle of heredity. He acquired his earliest schooling at St. Paul's, going thence to Marlborough college, then under the able adminstration of Dr. (now Dean) Bradley, Dean Stanley's successor. It is striking evidence of the change that has come over British practice in the distribution of its posts of responsibility and corresponding rewards that Sir George is not yet forty-three years old. It seems only the other day that he was playing cricket and rowing races for the honor of Balliol, where he had the privilege of sitting at the feet of Professor Jowett, one of his father's fellow-essayists, and the famous interpreter of Plato. Before going to Balliol, however, he had been abroad and had served a three years' apprenticeship in the study of Imperial and colonial questions in India and Australia. In his first collegiate year he published his "New Homes for the Old Country"—a work which won a three column review in the Times, and at once became a standard authority. The Atheneum pronounced it an encyclopedia of Australian knowledge. "Protection and Bad Times" and "State Aid and State Interference," studies revealing mastery of economic science, followed at brief intervals. In 1876 he graduated with honors, winning the Chancellor's prize for the English essay—his theme being the relative advantages of large and small states. The next year he became private secretary to Sir George Bowen, Governor of Victoria.

"Early in his career he had been strongly drawn to the cause of Imperial unity, in the defence of which neither his pen nor his tongue grew weary. In 1882 he formulated a scheme which caused much discussion among the members of the Royal Colonial Institute and in the press, and since then the principle of drawing closer instead of relaxing (though without sacrifice of independence) the ties that bind mother country and daughter states in a grand league of mutual helpfulness, has never lacked his vigorous support. His report on the West Indies (whither the Gladstone Government sent him as joint commissioner with Colonel Sir W. Crossman, C.E.), gained him much credit and his first decoration. Five years later (1889) he was made a Knight of the Order of Saint Michael and Saint George. The interval was filled up by a succession of valuable services—he sugar bounties, Bechuanaland, (where he assisted Sir Charles Warren), the Canadian fisheries dispute (in which he prepared a lucid and comprehensive statement), the new Maltese constitution (in arranging the detail's of which he had Sir George Bowen, his former chief, as colleague), and other questions of imperial importance, engaging, in turn, his clear intellect and forceful will. On the home rule question Sir George sided with the Unionists and, according to his wont with what interested him, he did not fail to explain and defend his position in pamphlet and review.

Besides the volumes, already mentioned, Sir George Baden-Powell has written essays and papers for magazines and societies, and has contributed to the daily press enough to make a reputation in his favorite department of literature. He is, however, a practical politician par excellence, only using the pen to expound his views and to advance the cause with which he deems the interest of his native land and of the Empire bound up. In the House of Commons (where he has sat since 1885 for the Kirkdale division of Liverpool, being elected twice by large majorities), Sir George is always heard with respect, because, though ready in debate, he only speaks when he has something to say that is worth listening to. He is unmarried—having been too busy, it would seem, to add the role of suitor to the many calls on his time, but, in stating the fact, one of his biographers adds the words—which Sir George's whole career suggests—spero meliora.

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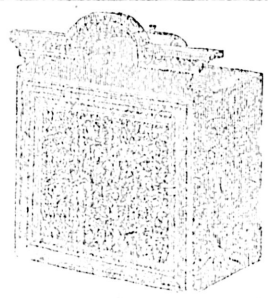

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Department of Militia and Defence, OTTAWA, 22nd September, 1890. oc1-2w

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C. J. LEGGATT, Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, Victoria, 4th September, 1890. se5

SCIENCE OF HYPNOTISM.

What the Treatment Is and How It Is Worked.

A Pseudo-Sleep Into Which a Patient with an Aptitude for It Can Be Made to Fall—Somnambulism the Last Stage of the Trance.

The history of hypnotism forms part of the history of the marvelous in human existence, writes Dr. J. Luys in the London Fortnightly Review. In reality it is found under different names at all periods of history, from the incantations of the ancient Egyptian magicians down to the fascinations of Mesmer, and the investigations of Braid, to whom modern hypnotism owes its name and its appearance in the realm of science. Braid mastered all the leading characteristics of the several hypnotic stages, and had a profound conviction of its utility as a remedial agent in all diseases in which the nerves play a more or less visible part.

Hypnotism is an experimental extra-physiological condition of the nervous system, a pseudo-sleep into which a patient with an aptitude for it can be made to fall, and during which he loses for the time being all consciousness of his individual existence and of the external world.

In the sequence of hypnotic states there is a descending and ascending movement, downwards to lethargy, and upwards to restored consciousness. From a slight drowsiness he passes to the somnambulistic stage, preserving at first his faculty of hearing and speech. Next his faculties are overwhelmed, the power of sight only remaining. At last, in the third stage, the patient falls into a complete lethargy; the life of the brain is withdrawn, and he lives, merely by the automatic activities of his spinal marrow. In the return journey or second half of the circle, the hypnotized person goes through the opposite phases, recovering at each halting place the faculties which have been temporarily suspended, passing from complete lethargy, through catalepsy and somnambulism, which are only different degrees of intensity of partial somnolence.

Several processes are employed to produce the hypnotic state, the most effective being revolving mirrors on which the patient fixes his eyes; but the sensitiveness of other special nerves, as well as of the optic nerves, can be utilized; in fact, with persons readily susceptible, suggestion suffices. The experimenter says to the patient: "You and I will count together up to six, and when we reach four you will be asleep."

To awaken the patient, it is generally sufficient to say: "You will be awake in a minute," but it is important to be sure that he is thoroughly awake; for if a patient only half-awakened is sent back to his daily life, he may collide with and knock down persons, steal articles exposed in shops, or commit other offenses, while giving the impression that he is in full possession of his senses. The cataleptic stage is attended with well-defined manifestations. The muscles maintain the poses given to them, and display a force far beyond what they are capable of in the waking state. The faculty of balancing is raised to an extraordinary pitch of exaltation. Stand him on one leg, bend his body forward or backward, bend his spinal column while making him throw his head back, and he will maintain his equilibrium. Lift the patient horizontally, and lay his head on the back of one chair and his heels on the back of another, and he will remain as stiff as a board, supported by his extremities. In this cataleptic stage the emotions can be brought into play in a perfectly methodical manner. He can be made glad without a word, by simply putting in his line of vision a sketch of happy faces; his features expand, and by degrees he breaks out into a loud laugh.

Conversely, a sketch of gloomy persons will fill him with sadness. Music wakes emotions proper to the time, and every color excites a special emotion; blue raises emotion of sorrow; yellow or red, joy and delight. Emotional states are also kindled by making the patient go through the gestures, with which any given emotion is habitually associated. For example, the patient's fist being closed and placed in a threatening posture, the face assumes an angry expression, but put his hand in the attitude of throwing a kiss and his face expresses delight and pleasure.

Somnambulism is the last stage of hypnotism before awaking. In this stage the patient's mind is a thoroughly prepared soil, in which we call up hallucinations and illusions of the senses, crazy fancies and fixed ideas which become irresistible. If you tell him it is cold, he wants a fur cloak; if you tell him it is warm, he wants to put on summer clothing. If you say: "Here is a glass of wine," and ask him to drink, he accepts it, and makes pretence to drink it. The word *credivite* has been invented to characterize the extraordinary credulity of this stage

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INTERIOR NEWS.

(From the Inland Sentinel.)

A party of twelve Chinamen are said to be making $5 a day at High Bar, on the Fraser. They have a ditch of fifteen miles.

Mr. Joseph Dickey, of Lillooet, reports work in the Lillooet placer mines as brisk and paying well, Philip Ward's claim paying $160 a week above expenses.

Dr. Dawson and Mr. J. McAvoy, of the Dominion Geological Survey Department, have returned to Kamloops from the Okanagan country, where they have been engaged during the past three weeks in obtaining a knowledge of the country for completing maps of the district.

Word was received on Friday of the death of Mr. Frank Borland, at Clinton. The deceased was a brother of Mr. Robt. Borland, of the well-known firm of Veith & Borland. He was a young man of considerable ability and was highly respected in the Cariboo country.

The Fall Assizes were opened at Kamloops before His Honor Justice Walkem on Monday morning at 10 o'clock. There was not a case, criminal or civil, and Sheriff Pemberton, according to a time-honored custom, presented his Lordship with a pair of white kid gloves.

His lordship, addressing the gentlemen of the grand jury, expressed the pleasure it gave him of meeting them again, and with such evidence before him of the peace and the good-will existing in the community. At Clinton, from which place he had just come, he was also presented with a pair of white gloves, there being no criminal cases before the court. After commenting upon the comparative dullness in the upper country, he congratulated the grand jury upon the freedom from crime in the district, when they were dismissed. The petit jurors were also dismissed and the court closed.

The annual meeting of the Inland Agricultural Association was held in the old court house at Kamloops on Saturday morning, Mr. Chas. A. Semlin, President in the chair, and a large representation of the members present.

After discussing several matters relating to the working of the association the following officers were elected for the ensuing year.

President, Hon. C. F. Cornwall, Ashcroft.

1st Vice-President, S. Moore, Kamloops.

2nd Vice-President, Phillip Parks, Cache Creek.

Secretary-Treasurer, J. J. Mackay, Ashcroft.

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The exhibition will be held at Ashcroft in October next.

LINCOLN'S MELANCHOLY.

His Sympathetic Nature and His Early Misfortunes.

Those who saw much of Abraham Lincoln, during the later years of his life, were greatly impressed with the expression of profound melancholy his face always wore in repose.

Mr. Lincoln was of a peculiarly sympathetic and kindly nature. These strong characteristics influenced, very happily, as it proved, his entire political career. They would not seem, at first glance, to be efficient aids to political success; but in the peculiar emergency which Lincoln, in the providence of God, was called to meet, no vessel of common clay could possibly have become the "chosen of the Lord."

Those acquainted with him from boyhood knew that early griefs tinged his whole life with sadness. His partner in the grocery business at Salem was "Uncle" Billy Green, of Tallula., Ill., who used at night, when the customers were few, to hold the grammar while Lincoln recited his lessons.

It was to his sympathetic ear Lincoln told the story of his love for sweet Ann Rutlidge; and he, in return, offered what comfort he could when poor Ann died, and Lincoln's great heart nearly broke.

After Ann died," says "Uncle" Billy, "on stormy nights, when the wind blew the rain against the roof, Abe would set thar in the grocery, his elbows on his knees, his face in his hands, and the tears runnin' through his fingers. I hated to see him feel bad, an' I'd say, 'Abe don't cry;' an' he'd look up an' say, 'I can't help it, Bill, the rain's a fallin' on her.'"

There are many who can sympathize with this overpowering grief, as they think of a lost loved one, when "the rain's a fallen on her." What adds poignancy to the grief sometimes is the thought that the lost one might have been saved.

Fortunate, indeed, is William Johnson, of Corona, L. I., a builder, who writes June 28, 1890: "Last February, on returning from church one night, my daughter complained of having a pain in her ankle. The pain gradually extended until her entire limb was swollen and very painful to the touch. We called a physician, who, after careful examination, pronounced it disease of the kidneys of long standing. All we could do, did not seem to benefit her until we tried Warner's Safe Cure; from the first she commenced to improve. When she commenced taking it she could not turn over in bed, but to-day she is as well as she ever was. I believe I owe the recovery of my daughter to its use."

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ABJECT PERSISTENCE.

We see that the Liberal Party of the Dominion find it very hard to accept the commercial situation. They cannot be convinced that, to advocate reciprocity with the United States, now that the Americans have adopted the policy of exclusion, is both undignified and useless. They try to persuade themselves that the McKinley tariff is a retaliatory measure. The Americans north, south, east and west declare that it is not. But the denial, general and emphatic as it is, does not satisfy our Liberal fellow-countrymen. Because the Dominion Government raised the duties last winter on some American products up to the standard of the American tariff, therefore the United States Congress imposed prohibitory duties on some Canadian products. This in the face of the repeated denials of the Americans does not appear to be a very strong position to take. The truth is that the Republican politicians are pledged to extend protection to the farmers of the United States, no matter what the Canadian tariff might be. "Out tariff is not retaliatory," the Americans declare, and it is not very civil in the Canadian Liberals to talk and to act as if they did not believe them.

The Liberals assert that the present Government is opposed to reciprocity and when Sir John Macdonald, Sir John Thompson, Mr. Foster and others, say that they and their party always favored a liberal measure of reciprocity and did what they could to obtain it, the Liberals treat their assertion with the same uncivil incredulity as they do the declarations of the American politicians and journalists. They say that Sir John and his Government were always opposed to reciprocity and they would not have it if they could get it. They seem to forget that, to say nothing about trade negotiations, there was for years a reciprocity clause in the Dominion revenue act.

If the Liberals are so sceptical with respect to the declarations of Canadian Conservatives and American Republicans they surely believe in themselves and in the sincerity and earnestness of men of their own party. Every one knows that the Liberals for the last three years have made reciprocity the principal plank of their platform. With the powerful assistance of Mr. Wiman they advocated reciprocity on every platform of the eastern provinces. Their leaders moved resolutions in favor of reciprocity in the Legislature. They advocated, first, commercial union, and afterwards unrestricted reciprocity. They were influential enough to have reciprocity resolutions moved in the United States Congress by Mr. Butterworth, Mr. Hitt, and Senator Sherman. They were loud in their assertions that the people of Canada were almost to a man in favor of reciprocity, and that if reciprocity were made the issue at the general elections its advocates would sweep the country. We believe that those Liberals were in earnest, and that they had no doubt of the truth of what they affirmed. It is more than likely that they convinced the American public men with whom they were in communication that Canada, from the Pacific to the Atlantic, was ripe for even unrestricted reciprocity. All that the Americans had to do was to say the word and every barrier, on this side of the line, to the freest trade intercourse would be thrown down. What was the result of this agitation in the United States? Did the Americans take the Liberals at their word? Did they introduce a clause in their tariff bill making free trade with Canada contingent on its acceptance by the Dominion Government? Such a clause was proposed, but it was hardly thought worthy of serious discussion in the Legislature. The proposal was discussed in the press, and the Canadians were told by a very influential section of it that if they wanted free trade with the United States the only way to obtain it was to enter the Union.

The way their own proposals were treated by the Legislature and the press of the United States should have convinced Canadian Liberals that the Americans do not want free trade with Canada, and when they saw that Congress was willing to reciprocate with the States of Central and South America, totally ignoring Canada, they would, if they had the least spirit, scorn the suggestion, no matter from what quarter it might come, to continue to sue for terms that had been so contemptuously rejected. If the Liberals are not indignant at the way in which their proposals for reciprocity have been treated, they must, as a party, be exceedingly poor-spirited. Any of them who has the least discernment can see that the Americans, either in or out of Congress, never had the slightest intention to accept their proposals for reciprocal free trade, and that those who believed that there was any disposition on the part of the Americans to throw down the barriers of trade between the two countries, must either have deceived themselves or have been deceived by those with whom they were negotiating.

THE "MORAL IDIOT."

Dr. Bessey, of Toronto, in his analysis of the character of Burchell, the murderer, designates him a "moral idiot." There are a good many who take exception to the term, because they draw from it the conclusion that idiots, whether moral or intellectual, are not responsible for their acts. If, they argue, Burchell is a moral idiot, if it is impossible for him to distinguish right from wrong, he could not help what he did, and it is, therefore, wrong to hang him. But, supposing there are such beings as moral idiots, is a man to deny their existence because some people believe that they are not responcible? A philosopher or a discoverer is bound to say what he believes to be the *truth*, no matter what the consequences may be. We, however, do not think that the morally insane are necessarily irresponsible. Granting that Burchell was a moral idiot, it is abundantly evident that he is very far, indeed, from being an intellectual imbecile. The man has an unusually active mind and, though wanting perhaps in imagication, his powers of reasoning are fairly good. If he did not see that taking the life of a fellow-man was a most wicked act, if his conscience did not cause him to view the crime of murder with horror, his intellect is active enough and powerful enough to convince him that the commission of that crime, if discovered, will be followed by consequences most unpleasant to the murderer. He knew that hanging is the punishment of murder, and he knew, too, that if he killed Benwell and was found out he would be hanged. So then, supposing he has no moral sense at all, he was perfectly well aware of the consequences of the crime he proposed to commit, and, therefore, no injustice is done when the punishment, which he knew would follow the crime, is inflicted on him.

This question of moral insanity was pretty fully discussed when Guiteau was tried for the assassination of President Garfield. Guiteau was nothing like as clever a man as Burchell. Indeed, there were doubts as to whether he was sane in the ordinary sense of the term. He was pronounced by all who came in contact with him a "crank," and it was difficult for even experts to pronounce whether his crankiness went as far as insanity or not. But this is not the case with Burchell. There is no doubt at all about his intellectual soundness. He is well able to reason on much more difficult matters than the consequences of committing a crime. We said that his imagination may be defective, for it is difficult to understand how a man who had a strong and an active imagination, who could, as it were, picture to himself the consequences of his act, who could realize beforehand the probabilities of discovery, could commit such a crime. It seems to us that Burchell was, as far as the future was concerned, completely blind. It has been said that all great criminals are deficient in power of imagination.

We cannot understand how any observant person can deny that there are different degrees of moral sense or that in some persons it is almost altogether wanting. All of us have seen men, women and children who were almost painfully sensitive morally. They were always afraid of doing wrong, and if they did go astray in the least, their repentance was immediate and very bitter. Again, there are some far less apt to make questions of right and wrong the first consideration. Their consciences require to be educated. They see no blame, or very little blame in what others regard as criminal. There are others who cannot be brought to see that there is the slightest degree of turpitude in what most people regard as exceedingly wicked. They cannot be made to see that there is anything wrong in deviating from the truth; and when caught appropriating the property of others they evince no sense of shame, or do not show the slightest consciousness of guilt. It was inconvenient to be found out, and very disagreeable to be punished, but, as to genuine repentance, or uneasiness of conscience, they never appear to have felt either the one or the other. And people whose moral sensibilities are so obtuse are not always criminals. They have sense enough to know that honesty is generally the best policy, and the fear of law and the restraints and checks of society are sufficient to keep them within the pale of respectability. But when those restraints are removed or when they are exposed to unusual temptation, these people of defective moral sense are very apt indeed to fall.

Those who believe that human beings or even the members of that society in which they move have consciences all after the same pattern, and have all come into the world with exactly the same amount of moral sensibility, have not been very acute or very careful observers. It seems to us quite as reasonable to hold that all men are intellectually equal as to believe that they all have the same power to distinguish right from wrong.

THE WIDE TIRE ACT.

The Times for want of legitimate matter to make points against members of the Government invariably makes itself foolish by hatching stories which break down of their own weight. An instance of this occured last evening, when it was stated that the Government, afraid to enforce the "Wide Tire Act," had, through the Attorney-General, agreed to wink at its infraction, and had withdrawn from prosecuting.

So far as the Wide Tire Act is concerned any agreement by the Government to wink at its infraction could in no wise benefit an offender, or prevent the provisions of the law being enforced. The act makes the drawing of a load of 2,000 pounds with tires under the prescribed width, unlawful, and subjects the transgressor to a fine of $25. The Government is powerless to remit the penalty, or to stifle a prosecution, which may be undertaken by any individual, particularly in view of the fact that, under the Act, one-half of the penalty goes to the informer, or prosecutor, who has a right to demand it.

The Wide Tire measure is a wise one—urgently required for the preservation of the public roads, and those disregarding its provisions will speedily find out that they cannot break the law with impunity.

EDITORIAL COMMENT.

A PARAGRAPH has recently gone the rounds of the newspapers which would lead those who read it to conclude that the McKinley tariff has driven the people of Prince Edward Island to despair, and that they see nothing before them but the bluest of blue ruin. But the people of that little province don't sit down and cry when they have a difficulty to meet. That is not the way in which they are built. The closing of the American market to the produce of their farms means a great deal to them, but they waste no time in moaning over the loss, as the following paragraph, from the Charlottetown Patriot, shows:

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As soon as the navigation opens next spring the Islanders will have an ocean steamer of their own, and by means of it they will, no doubt, carry on a brisk trade in farm produce with the Old Country or the West Indian Islands.

THE TIMES had recourse to an old and not very ingenious trick to convey the impression that, our article headed "Self-condemned," in Saturday's issue, was an abusive one. It wrested a number of words from their context and strung them together, saying, with fine sarcasm, that they were found in "a paper written by gentlemen for gentlemen." The intelligent reader sees that such a trick as this could easily be used to bring reproach upon a discourse from the pulpit or even a chapter in the Bible. Whether a word is opprobrious or not depends upon the way it is used and the company it is in. Would the Times apply its test to the following innocent sentences:

"Our contemporary would scorn to act the part of an habitual slanderer. It has too great a regard for the proprieties of journalism to descend to the level of a common scold or to use the language of barroom loafers and street ruffiians. Its principles are too high and its temper is too sweet to deal with in calumny and slander, and to speak of its opponents as if it were actuated by the spirit of envy, hatred, malice and all uncharitableness. It despises the evil speaker, and holds those who are guilty of political indecency in contempt. It is not idiotic, and therefore knows that it is only the intellectual pigmy in whose estimation vile words are forcible and abuse argument."

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Inward Bound.

The steamer City of Puebla, which has left San Francisco for this city, has the following Victoria passengers on board: Mrs. A. G. McCandless, J. B. Stone, Miss A. Gilmore, Miss Wilgress, Miss Johnson and Miss Scheik.

An Albino Lark.

A beautiful Albino meadow lark (sturnella magna neglecta) has been received at the Provincial Museum from Mr. James E. Cornwall, of Ashcroft. With the exception of a slight shade of yellow on the breast, the bird is snow white.

Port Angeles Custom House.

A gentleman, who has just arrived from Port Angeles, states that it is not the intention of the United States treasury department to appoint a collector of customs at that point until after the elections. There are numbers of claimants for the position, each of whom has a large number of friends that it is the desire to avoid antagonizing.

Evidences of Christianity.

On Sunday night Rev. M. L. Rugg preached in the Baptist church the inaugural sermon of a course on "The Evidences of Christianity." The rev. gentleman took for his text the words of Job—"Oh! that mine adversary had written a book." He showed with great eloquence and force the necessity of a written revelation, and that had been supplied to humanity in the Bible.

Church Bazaar.

A bazaar in aid of the rectory fund will be held at the Blue Ribbon Hall, Esquimalt, on Saturday next, from 2 to 9 p.m. The afternoon will be devoted to the sale of fancy work, Oriental curios, fretwork, etc., and the band of the flagship will be in attendance. A minstrel performance will be given in the evening. Admission to the bazaar, including free pass on the tramcars, will be only 25 cents.

A Booming Business.

The tram cars did a booming business to Esquimalt on Sunday and were well patronized yesterday; the cars, every hour in the day, having a fair contingent of passengers. One car on Sunday carried 112 passengers. In consequence of the crowding, two minor accidents are reported. One passenger, who was standing on the front step, struck his head on a telegraph pole; another had a finger broken by the closing of the door.

Hallowe'en Concert.

The concert programme arranged by the Y. P. A. of the First Presbyterian Church in celebration this evening, of the time honored festival of All Hallow E'en, is one that is seldom improved upon. It will include recitals of Scottish humor by Mr. Rae, a professional elocutionist; vocal and instrumental numbers by Mr. J. G. Brown and others of the church choir, piano solos by Miss Berry, late of London, England; and vocal selections by Mrs. Clarke, also from the great metropolis.

A Find in Metchosin.

In connection with the visit of Mr. Maxwell, an Ontario oil expert, to this province, it is announced that first-class petroleum has been discovered upon the farm of Mr. E. Vine, in Metchosin district. No effort has been made to develop the deposit, but there is a probability of a refinery being erected and the manufacture of coal oil being entered into, if the find proves to be a lasting well. Mr. Maxwell is now in the northern part of the Island, but, on his return to Victoria, he will be induced to visit and inspect the prospects on Mr. Vine's property.

Foresters in Session.

At the annual meeting of the District Court of Foresters of British Columbia, held in Nanaimo last Friday and Saturday, reports for the year were received from the various officers of the local lodges, showing a healthy advance in the order, both numerically and in financial strength. The following district officers were elected for the ensuing year: Wm Trickey, Victoria, D.C. R.; R. Godding, D.S.C.R.; E. J. Salmon, treasurer, and J. R. McKenzie, secretary. The session closed with a banquet at the Windsor House.

Last of the Season.

The catch of the sealing schooner C. H. Tupper has been sold to Mr. M. J. Davis. The season for the sealers of Victoria has been closed, and while several vessels have made good catches, the result has, on the whole, been unsatisfactory, attributed by some people to a change in the habitat of the fishes on which the seals are accustomed to feed. According to several sealers the biggest catches were made at the east of the islands, in waters where the seals had not previously been found in good numbers. This aspect of the sealing question is one upon which it would be well if some of the skippers were to exchange their opinions through the press.

City Police Court.

The programme before the city police magistrate yesterday morning was extremely varied, and still neither new nor entertaining. Kate Lewis, a female of the Siwash persuasion, was charged with drunkenness and then discharged. Henry Brown paid $5 upon being convicted of the same offence. Thomas Jackson was remanded until the 14th, he guaranteeing to prove that he did not allow himself to be overcome by the dangerous rye bottle. Thomas McGinnis was drunk, admitted the impeachment, and was fined. John Livingstone pleaded guilty to the much more serious charge of enticing seamen to desert from H.M. naval service, and was fined $80 and costs, or in default three months in the common jail. John Garland, who brought suit to recover wages from the C.P.N. Co. was compelled to submit to a reduction of $15 for misconduct, and the case was thus disposed of.

Grismer-Davies.

Joseph Grismer and Phœbe Davies, who are ever welcome to Victoria, and always sure of a generous support in this city, appear at The Victoria, this evening, in the character melodrama, "Two Nights in Rome," supported by their own company. The San Francisco Post says: "'Two Nights in Rome' is, in many respects, the best work Archie Gunter has done in the play-writing line. Like the present day operetta, it is full of reminiscences. There are touches of 'Forget-Me-Not,' 'Diplomacy,' and 'Mr. Barnes of New York.' But Gunter has handled his matter well enough to make 'Two Nights' strong in story and interest. The company is well cast, Grismer having a strong part in Gerald Clinton, an artist, and Phœbe Davies appearing to special advantage. Her beautiful voice and intense manner places the English girl in first position at once. The little mannerisms that have crept into Miss Davies' recent acting are all forgotten, and Evelyn Aubrey is the striking figure throughout the play."

Death of Mrs. Mary Carter.

Mrs. Mary Carter, wife of Paris Carter, died at her residence, Pandora avenue, last evening, of congestion of the lungs. Mrs. Carter came to Victoria in '58 from her native city, St. Louis, Mo., and has resided here continually since that time. She was a faithful Christian worker in the Methodist church. She leaves a husband, three sons and a grand-daughter to mourn her loss. The deceased was 64 years of age.

A Fortune to Charity.

Hon John Leary, of Seattle, has determined to erect an orphans' home in that city, in memory of Mrs. Leary, whose death occured recently. This lady was foremost in deeds of charity and acts of kindness. She was the president of the Orphans' Home society at the time of her death, and her husband now proposes to devote $100,000 to the erection of a building for the home of orphans, which shall be a memoial of his departed wife.

Anglican Synod.

The first session of the Fifth Synod of the Diocese of Columbia will be held in the Cathedral school-house, commencing Wednesday next. The proceedings will be opened with the celebration of the Holy Communion in the Cathedral at ten o'clock, at which the sermon will be preached by Rev. A. J. Leekie, of Cowichan. In the evening there will be a public meeting in the Cathedral school-room, beginning at 8 o'clock, when addresses will be delivered by a number of clergymen.

The Westminster Bye-Election.

The writ for the election in Westminster District has been issued, and will be returnable on the 20th November next. The returning officer has not yet fixed the dates of nomination and polling, but they will, no doubt, be announced without delay. The campaign will be over inside of five weeks. Two candidates are already up for the vacant seat. One is the late member, Mr. Wm. H. Ladner, and the other is Mr. Levingston Thompson. Mr. Ladner comes out as an independent candidate, and Mr. Thompson as an upholder of Mainland rights.

Much Married.

The police magistrate of Port Angeles was in town yesterday looking up an individual who came from New Jersey to Port Angeles, where he took up with another woman, although his duly wedded wife was living in the east. About two weeks ago wife No. 1 arrived at Port Angeles, on which the recreant husband and wife cleared out, as it turned out, to Victoria, where the American official came hot-footed after them. The offenders have been located, and if they cannot be extradited will be put on trial in this city.

Admitted to Bail.

The hearing of evidence in the Ah Tun throat cutting case occupied Stipendiary Magistrate Planta, of Nanaimo, all Saturday. Evidence was given by Dr. Rice and Dr. Praeger to the effect that the wounded man was not in immediate danger, and the case was remanded till Friday next. Mr. Charles Wilson, counsel for Long Kee, applied for his admission to bail, on the ground that his sick wife and new born babe needed his presence. The application was granted, bail being fixed at $5,000. Mah Yeen, the other Chinaman charged with the cutting, is held in custody.

Another Four-Story Brick.

Tenders are invited in to-day's COLONIST for a four-story brick building on Broad street, facing View, for Mr. R. T. Williams. The building will have a frontage of 36 feet, with a depth of 65 feet, will be four stories in height with roomy basement, and will be heated throughout with hot air. The first floor will be fitted up for stores, with handsome plate glass front; the second will be devoted to offices, and the third and fourth floors made suitable for society rooms or general offices, as may be required. The structure will be an ornament to that portion of the city.

Farmers' Delegates.

A letter from Mr. Campbell, in charge of the Canadian tour of the British tenant farmer's delegates, to Mr. John Jessop, immigration agent, contains the information that the much-talked-of representatives of the British agriculturists will reach Vancouver to-morrow, and visit the Royal City on the day following. Friday is reserved for a visit to this city, where it is probable the delegates will be entertained conjointly by Mayor Grant, on behalf of the city, and the Board of Trade. A call upon the Lieut.-Governor, by invitation, is also on the cards.

He Was Lost.

As Assistant City Clerk E. J. Smith was preparing to leave his office in the City Hall, at 11 o'clock last night, he heard a smothered groan followed by a decisive kick, apparently upon the side street door. The groan seemed to come from within the building, so he proceeded to investigate, with the result that he found, stretched out between the baize and the outside doors, a semi-intoxicated bluejacket of H. M. S. Daphne. As this part of the building was locked up at 5 o'clock the man must have wandered in and been made a prisoner, unintentionally, before that hour. He could give no account of himself other than that his name was McFarlane, and he meant no harm.

AT ST. JAMES' CHURCH.

The Festival of the Harvest Observed as in Former Years.

As promised by the congregation of St. James' church the services of that pretty little place of worship were of more than ordinary interest on Sunday last, being the celebration of the festival of the harvest. The fruits of the field and forest, flowers and orchard products, were used in artistic profusion in the decoration of the chancel, pulpit and reading desk, as well as the windows, the font and the auditorium. The sermons of the day, preached by the pastor, Ven Archdeacon Scriven, were thoroughly appropriate, as was also the music provided by the church choir. Large congregations enjoyed both morning and evening services.

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THE EARL OF ABERDEEN.

His Lordship and the Countess Come Here in Search of Health and Information.

They Leave Victoria Well Pleased With All They Have Seen and What They Have Learned.

On Sunday evening there arrived in Victoria from the Mainland the Rt. Hon. John Campbell Hamilton-Gordon, seventh Earl of Aberdeen, accompanied by his Countess, the Lady Isabel Maria Coutts Majoribanks, eldest daughter of the Earl of Tweedmouth. The distinguished couple enjoy the peculiar honor of having, while occupants of Dublin Castle, in 1886—the Earl being at that time Viceroy of Ireland—gained for themselves the almost universal good-will of the people of that distracted country. Lord Aberdeen is in the prime of life, somewhat over the ordinary height, of a wiry frame and fully possessed of those characteristics that are only to be found in the gentleman, no matter his rank or position. As he received the COLONIST representative he expressed his regret that his stay in Victoria would be so short, he being compelled to sail by the Islander this (Tuesday) morning in order to keep appointments already arranged for and to leave New York by the vessel on which his passage had been taken. He had no desire or intention to show disrespect to Victoria or its people but having been detained by the accident on the C.P.R., some 40 miles west of Winnipeg, he had lost some 23 hours. That accident was due to no fault of the company and service had been resumed with all expedition. Throughout his journey he had been much pleased with

THE FAVORABLE CONDITIONS OF THE PEOPLE,

whom he regarded as wonderfully well situated, with every element conducive to their prosperity. He had, he said, come to Canada for the benefit of the health of the Countess which, he was happy to say, had been very much improved, and to satisfy himself as to the prosperity and prospects of this one of the colonies of the empire, a knowledge of which was essential to every public man who desired to be in touch with the progress of events. Wherever he had gone in Canada he had been delighted with the thoroughly British sentiment that prevailed. This had been specially marked in British Columbia, where the feeling was very much like that of England. He had paid considerable attention to the question of immigration to Canada, and from the agents' reports which he had read had been glad to learn that of late very little of the pauper element had found its way here. He was convinced that for the proper class of people this Dominion possessed wonderful facilities, that were certain to be taken advantage of to a very considerable extent. Personally, should he ever make up his mind to reside in the colonies, there was no one of them that had more favorably impressed him than this, alike from its proximity to the mother land, as from its resources and the immense possibilities that lay open before it. He had formed a very high opinion of the Premier of the Dominion, who was in every respect a wonderful man. Sir John Thompson, too, whom he had recently seen, had many of the high qualities of statesmanship. He had, he said, watched with much interest and, indeed, anxiety,

THE TARIFF AGITATION

which had been going on in the United States. The McKinley bill had, he had discovered, not unnaturally caused considerable alarm among the people of the eastern provinces, more, indeed, than among those at the west, probably because, in the meantime, they regarded themselves as being the more directly affected. He was no believer in a policy of protection, and could not say what its pursuance might ultimately result in for the United States. But he was convinced that it would not be so productive of mischief to this country, as some people had predicted. Indeed, he was convinced that Canada had sufficient back-bone to search out and develop new markets for her products, and here he would mention once instance in which a market was being created for one of the productions of the Dominion, which though small as some people might regard it as being, could be increased to very considerable proportions. A few months since a gentleman from his own more immediate part of Scotland had come to Canada, and having satisfied himself of the immense capabilities of this country for the production of eggs, had returned home, and the result was there would be

A VERY GREAT DEMAND IN SCOTLAND

for that important Canadian product. So would it be with other things of which Canada was capable of raising large quantities. It would not be for every article that a market would, as in the case he had mentioned, open itself, but the field was a wide one, and there were immense demands that were yet unsupplied. His Lordship observed that, though the day had been by no means a pleasant one, he had as much as possible availed himself of the opportunity of visiting the city, and the many points of interest and attraction in and around it. With its drives and views he had been very much impressed. His trip to Esquimalt had greatly pleased him, and his reception on the flagship had been very pleasant. As for the harbor of Esquimalt, it was a most charming spot, and the drive out had been specially interesting. He had received many callers, and had been gratified by the information which he had obtained through their instrumentality. Among his visitors had been Lieut.-Governor Nelson, Sir Joseph and Lady Trutch, and Hon. John Robson, the latter of whom had impressed him as being a man of very considerable ability. He spoke of the

IMPORTANCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

as a portion of the Canadian Dominion, and repeated that the Canadian Pacific railway service was, as far as he could discover, a good one, its importance being many-fold enhanced when the new Pacific steamship connections were inaugurated. Both he and the Countess had much admired the scenery on the route of the railway, particularly along the line of the Fraser River and across the Rocky Mountains. Reference having been made to the Irish Question, his Lordship said he was fully convinced that the policy of Mr. Gladstone was the correct one, but, he added, "I am not here to give my views on Imperial politics; I came here to study Canada, and, had I an hour to spare, I might turn interviewer and put a number of questions to you for my own personal information."

His Lordship and the Countess dined at Government House, last evening, and left this morning for the east by the steamer Islander.

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The announcement of evening office hours by Mr. F. D. Seward, the celebrated optician, crowded his parlors at the Driard, the first night, and this was repeated last night.

It is also becoming known that Mr. Seward makes no charge for tests and consultation regarding the eye, and wise people are calling upon him to learn the exact condition of their eyes, confident that his opinion is given only after careful tests, and that is given in perfect sincerity, as he values his reputation as an optician above all other considerations.

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BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Special Meeting to Discuss the Auditor's Statement Regarding Civic Finances.

Last night a meeting of the Board of Aldermen was held in the City Hall, his Worship the Mayor presiding. There were present Alds. Goodacre, McKillican, Vigelius, Harrison, Wilson and Holland.

The meeting had been specially convened to discuss the statement submitted by the Auditor at the last meeting.

After some preliminary conversation as to the figures contained in the statement and certain explanations by Mr. Raymur,

Ald. Vigelius drew attention to the amounts that had been taken out of general revenue for water works purposes and the prospects there were of other heavy demands. He therefore regretted that only one member of the committee was present.

Ald. McKillican said the Water Committee had been well aware that their funds were exhausted, but there were so many demands upon them for supplies, while the revenue from water was more than sufficient to pay both interest and sinking fund. It had been, he would repeat, to meet the demands of the citizens for water that the committee had gone beyond the amounts at their disposal, and this they knew when they asked for the funds for new water-pipes. It was not, he urged, advisable to deprive the citizens of water, which was one of the necessaries of life.

Ald. Harrison said that when new service pipes were laid, revenue was obtained the following month. But with reference to street pipes, the committee had to expend from $150 to $200 at first, for which they got nothing until the next year. When a man took water he had to pay at once. At the commencement of this year the committee had $35,500 for street work, but about $9,000 came out of that for the school tax; $500 went for the agricultural show, and other amounts for other purposes. These were taken out of the Street committee's vote, which, he held, was being badly treated, both with regard to sewers and water. There ought to be something done in the way of letting water excavations out by contract. The cost of blasting rock had been enormous; some of it has cost this year as much as $9 and $9.50 per yard, and last year up to $12 had been paid. This rock should all be blasted out by contract, and whether in or out of Council he should be against doing any work of any kind other than by contract. The Water Committee, he maintained, had no right to take out money from general revenue which meant street work. It was ridiculous to say that the street work could be kept up for the sum appropriated to it, particularly in view of the many very heavy demands made upon it. It was idle to say that the Street Committee had disposed of the $42,000 said to have been appropriated to it.

Mr. Raymur explained that the sum of $42,000 included $6,000, the value of rock carried over from last year. The amount which the committee really had was $36,800.

After some discussion as to the provincial tax, Mr. Raymur said that the Street committee had about $9,000 left, but if the loan were floated it would have $30,000 for streets. The provincial revenue tax was never paid except under protest, but if the $6,000 allowed for it were charged the Street committee would only have about $3,600.

Ald. Harrison reiterated his assertion that the money for the Provincial school tax would of necessity be taken from the funds of the Street committee.

The $12,000 voted for sewerage work and incidental expenses in connection with the presentation of the sewerage by-law next came up for consideration. This amount included $2,000 to Mr. Mohun, premium for plans, and $7,500 for completing Johnson street sewer.

Ald. Harrison objected to the incorporation of either of these two items. It was stated that the Johnson street sewer would cost $30,000, and he did not think it was right to pay more. He wished the city surveyor would be on hand to explain how the cost of the Johnson street sewer exceeded the estimate. He also objected to the Council charging the $2,000 against the $300,000 loan; it should come out of the general revenue. So should the $500 for sinking test hole.

Ald. Vigelius differed with Ald. Harrison; he thought all the monies referred to should come back to the general revenue—they referred to sewerage only.

Ald. Harrison enquired if the $5,000 spent in constructing fire tanks was taken from the funds for sewerage?

It was explained that the money was so obtained, for the reason that the old tanks were destroyed and the new ones rendered necessary by the construction of the Johnson street sewer.

Ald. Harrison argued that the money for fire tanks built last year could not properly be taken from the $300,000 loan for sewerage voted this summer.

Ald. Wilson said that while he had listened to Ald. Harrison's objection to the payment of the $2,500 (for Mr. Mohun and for test holes), and the cost of the fire tanks, out of the sewerage loan, he had failed to say where the money was to be obtained.

Ald. Harrison replied, out of the fire department funds. The tanks were rotten, and would soon have to be replaced, whether the sewer went through or not.

Ald. McKillican thought that $300,000 obtained from the ratepayers for sewerage purposes should cover the existing liabilities of sewerage. This was what the ratepayers intended and endorsed in the passage of the Sewerage By-Law.

Ald. Vigelius moved that the report of the auditor be received and filed.

Mayor Grant said that if the refund be made for general sewerage purposes out of the sewerage loan to the general revenue there would be of available revenue about $140,000. Of this the present obligations of the city would absorb $110,000. Besides there would be sinking fund, interest, and salaries, $38,000, leaving a shortage of about $8,000, against which would be property $7,000 and water pipe $5,000 or $6,000.

Ald. Harrison said that this statement only could be shown if nothing more was done this year. It was time to apply the brake.

Ald. McKillican thought it would be necessary now to curtail all branches. If the people complained that they couldn't get water, they could be told that the funds were not available. It might be possible to sell the Spring Ridge property and apply the proceeds to water service extension.

Ald. Vigelius said the Street committee's outside staff had been reduced.

The Water Commissioner, in reply to a question from the chair, said that the staff of the Water committee was employed laying pipes in James Bay ward by request of Ald. Harrison. There were not a dozen of a force employed.

Services to the amount of $2,500 had been paid for out of the $60,000 loan, and the money received therefrom had been devoted to the street work. It would also be remembered that no appropriation had been made for carrying on the water works except by the $60,000 loan, with the one exception of salaries to the extent of $4,000 or $5,000. The whole water works revenue for the year had been diverted to the work of streets.

The report was ordered to be filed.

TENANT FARMERS' ADVOCATES.

Mayor Grant announced that Mr. Jessop, of the Emigration department, and Col. Prior were again anxious to know what manner of reception would be tendered the British farmers' delegates, who would visit this city on Friday. They were receiving distinguished marks of attention at every point called at during their tour of Canada.

On motion of Ald. Vigelius and Ald. McKillican the matter was left in the hands of the Mayor, with power to act.

Mayor Grant and Ald. McKillican commented on the benefits of the visit of the Farmer's Delegates as a type of advertising.

RE-ASSESSMENTS.

A communication from the city barristers was read, re the appeal of A. McDonald from assessment and also regarding other appeals. Received and filed.

A letter was also read from Messrs. Ellis & Co., tendering for the printing of the debentures to be issued under the authority of the $300,000, sewerage loan by-law. Referred to the Finance Committee for report.

PUBLIC MARKET.

The by-law to provide the sum of $45,000 for the establishment of a public market, was on motion of Ald. Holland and Vigelius read a second time.

Ald. Harrison would vote against the by-law.

So would Ald. Goodacre. He hoped the committee to build the market would make it adaptable to the purposes of a poor house, for a market would certainly be a failure.

Ald. Holland, McKillican and Vigelius said that it was a matter for the ratepayers to decide. If they wanted the market they could vote for it. The adoption of the by-law was deferred until the regular Wednesday evening meeting.

The by-law regarding the extension of the city limits will be disposed of at the same time.

Ald. Holland moved that Mr. Martin, engineer of Jumbo, be re-engaged, and orders be given for the return of this celebrated servant of the corporation to his official duties

An amendment was offered by Ald. Harrison to the effect that Jumbo be stabled for the winter, which amendment was carried on a tie.

The council rose at 10 o'clock.

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NOTICES.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of AUSTIN A. ORDANO, Deceased.

The undersigned executors of the will of the deceased have taken out Probate of the same, and hereby request that all debtors to the estate will make payment, and all creditors will present their bills forthwith to

JAMES BOAL,
EDWARD H. FORREST,
PASQUATE FRUMENTO,
P.O. Address Corfield, V.I. The Executors.

SALOON AND STORE FOR SALE.

The executors of the will of Austin A. Ordano, deceased, invite tenders which will be received up to the 20th September instant, for the purchase of the lease for six years, retail liquor license, stock of goods, goodwill and fixtures of the saloon and store known as the "CENTRAL HOUSE," situate at McPherson's station and carried on by the deceased at the time of his death. Neither the highest nor any tender necessarily accepted. se7

Re Uriah Nelson, deceased, Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

ALL PERSONS having claims or demands against the estate of Uriah Nelson, late of the city of Victoria, deceased, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing duly authenticated to the undersigned on or before the 4th day of November 1890, otherwise the same will be barred; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 1880.

J. C. HAYES,
Agent for John Grant and Mrs. Nelson, executor and executrix of the will of said deceased.
oc4 Box 415 Victoria, B. C.

Re. Frederick W. H. Wright, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the estate of the above named deceased are requested to forward the same on or before the 18th day of October next, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay the same forthwith to

JEANETTE WRIGHT,
Executrix, or to
F. G. RICHARDS, JR.,
Acting for the Executrix.
Dated this 18th day of September, A.D. 1890.
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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

AS WORK WILL AT ONCE BE COMMENCED to take out Beaver Rock it is requested that all vessels coming in or going out of Victoria harbor must give the scows or barges employed in this work as broad a berth as possible, and also to go at slow speed.

A red light will be exhibited on the southeast corner of the scow or barge from dark until daylight while the work is being done.

W. R. CLARKE,
sep10-1m Harbor Master.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

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W. R. CLARKE,
se10 1m Harbor Master.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned and known as the Star Ship Yard Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, E. Kermode and S. McC. Smith retiring from the business, which will, in future, be carried on by O. Warner from date, by whom all liabilities are assumed and to whom all accounts are payable.

O. WARNER.
S. McC. SMITH.
Sept. 30, 1890. E. KERMODE.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the following described tract of land, situate on the first Gordon Pasha Lake, New Westminster District:

Commencing from a post on the North side of the lake, about 20 chains from the outlet, thence North 60 chains, thence East 60 chains, thence South 60 chains more or less to the lake, thence following the lake shore in a Westerly direction to the place of commencement, containing 360 acres more or less.

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oc2 Manager.

NOTICE is hereby given that thirty days after date I intend applying to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to lease the following described land, situated in New Westminster District:—Commencing at a stake about 2½ miles from the head of Theodosia Arm on Merril's north line, about 1½ miles west of Merril's north-east corner thence running east 200 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence west 100 chains; thence north 60 chains; thence west 100 chains; thence south 120 chains to commencement post marked "W. P. Sayward.

W. P. SAYWARD.
September 22, 1890. oc10-1m

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a public highway along a line described as follows:—Commencing at the intersection of Cordova Bay Road with the north boundary of Section 121, Lake District; thence in a westerly direction following the north boundary of Sections 12, 27 and 48, Lake District to the Saanich Road.

M. MORRISSEY.
Victoria, B.C., Oct. 9th, 1890. oc10 1m

NOTICE.

DURING my absence from the province Mr. Thos. Trounce holds my power of attorney

JOHN RICHARDS.
Victoria, Oct. 3rd, 1890. oc4-1m

NOTICE.

I, JOHN H. WOOD, of The Club stables, Yates street, hereby give notice that I am not liable for any debts contracted by Edwin Bevan, as keeper of the Club Livery Stables in Yates street in this city, prior to October 1st, 1890, or otherwise.

oc9 JOHN H. WOOD.

B. C. BREWING COMPANY.

AT A MEETING of the promoters of the B. C. Brewing Co., held on the 8th inst., it was agreed that the clause in the prospectus providing that certain shares be donated to them for their services and expenses, be expunged; also that the promoters shall hand over to the shareholders all documents now in their possession, and that the future conduct of the company's business be left in the shareholders hands.

A general meeting of the shareholders and parties interested will be held on the 13th inst., at 8 p. m., at the office of Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton, for the purpose of taking into consideration the above agreement; to elect officers and to transact other business.

J. C. BALES,
oc9 Secretary, pro tem.

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"Why not his wife?"

"Wife! Don't you suppose I know the cut of a married man, even on the street? He hasn't the first symptom of the craft. He doesn't swagger, and he doesn't slink. A husband does one or the other."

Hetty laughed out merrily. There was a sense of relief in Hester's return to the sarcastic raillery habitual to her, which made her mirth the heartier.

A man crossing the lower slope of the orchard heard the bubbling peal, and looked in the direction of the big tree. So did his attendant, a huge St. Bernard dog. He tore up the acclivity bellowing ferociously. Before his master's shout arose above his baying he was almost upon the girls. At the instant of alarm, Hetty had thrown herself before the wheeled chair and the helpless occupant, and faced the foe. Crouching slightly, as for a spring, her face blenched, eyes wide and steady, she stood in the rosy shadow of the branches, both hands outthrown to ward off the bounding assailant.

"What a pose!" was March's first thought, professional instinct asserting itself, concerned though he was at the panic for which he was responsible. "In the same lightning-flash came—"I'll paint that girl some day!"

"Don't be frightened!" he was calling, as he ran. "He will not hurt you!"

Hester had shrieked feebly, and lay almost swooning, among her cushions. Hetty had not uttered a sound, but, as the master laid his hand on the dog's collar her knees gave way under her, and she sank down by the cripple's chair, her head resting upon the edge of the wicker side. She was fighting desperately for composure, or the semblance of it, and did not look up when March began to apologize.

"I am awfully sorry," he panted, ruefully penitent. "And so will Thor—my dog, you know!—be when he understands how badly he has behaved. He is seldom so inhospitable."

The word brought up Hetty's head and wits.

"Are we trespassing?" she queried, anxiously. "We thought that this orchard was a part of the parsonage-grounds, or we would not have come. It is me who should beg your pardon."

"By no means!" He had taken off his hat, and in his regretful sincerity, looked handsomer than when his eyes had smiled, concluded Hester, whose senses were rapidly returning. "My name is Gilchrist, and my father's grounds adjoin those of the parsonage. He had the gate cut between your garden and the orchard, that the clergyman's family might be as much at home here as ourselves. I hope you will forgive my dog's misdemeanor, and my heedlessness in not seeing you before he had a chance to frighten you."

Summoning something of his father's gracious stateliness, he continued, more formally:

"Have I the pleasure of addressing Miss Wayt?"

Bow and question were for Hetty. Hester's voice, thin and dissonant, replied with old-fashioned decorum of manner, but in unconventional phrase:

"I have the misfortune to be Miss Wayt. This is Mr. Wayt's wife sister, Miss Alling."

It was a queer speech, made queerer by the prim articulation the author deemed proper in the situation. March tried not to see that the subject of the second clause of the introduction flushed deeply, while her mute return of his bow had a serious natural grace he thought charming. When he begged that she would resume her seat, the little roguish curl at the corner of her lips which he recollected as archly demure, came into play.

"We have no chairs to offer, but if you do not object to the best we have to give—" finishing the half-invitation by seating herself upon a grass-grown root, jutting out near the trunk of the tree.

"The nicest carpet and lounge in the world," affirmed March, sitting down upon the sward. "Odd, isn't it, that American men don't know how to loll on the turf as English do? Our climate is ever so much drier and we have three times as many fair days in the year, and some of us seem to be as loosely put together. But we don't understand how to fling ourselves down all in a heap that doesn't look awkward either, and be altogether at ease in genuine Anglican fashion. Even if there are ladies present an Englishman lies on the grass, and it is considered 'quite the thing, don't you know?' They say the imported American never gets the hang of it, try as he will. A man must be born on the other side or he can't learn it."

"There may be something in your countryman's inborn reverence for women that prevents him from mastering the accomplishment," said Hetty, a little dryly.

March bowed gayly.

"Thank you for the implied compliment in the name of American men! I am glad you are getting the benefit of this perfect May day. There, at any rate, we have the advantage of the Mother-Country, if she *has* given us the May-pole and 'The Queen of the May.' This is a sour and dubious month in Merry England."

"You have been there, then?"

Hester said it abruptly, as she said most things, but the eagerness, dashed with longing, that gave plaintive cadence to the question, caught March's ear.

"Several times. I sailed from Liverpool twelve days ago. I was just off the steamer, and may be a little unsteady on my feet when I collided with your carriage last Thursday, and you generously forgave me."

The girl was regarding him with frank admiration that would have annoyed an ultra-sensitive man, and amused, while it flattered, a vain one.

"It must be *heavenly* to travel in the country of Scott and Dickens!" she said, quaintly naive. "How you must have enjoyed it!"

"I did, exceedingly, but less on account of David Copperfield and Nicholas Nickleby than because, as a boy, I reveled in English history, and that my mother's father for whom I was named, was English. You should hear my sister talk of her first journey across England. She would say every little while in an awed undertone: 'This is just *living* Dickens!' You have not met her yet, I think?" to Hetty.

"No."

The tone was reserved, without being rude. He could have fancied that sadness underlay civil regret. Perhaps May had been mistaken in postponing her call until the parsonage was in perfect order.

"She means to call very soon. She thought it would be unneighborly to intrude before you had recovered from the fatigue of removal and travel. Mr. Wayt was my father's guest for a day or two, you know, before your arrival, and I have had since the pleasure of meeting him several times and of hearing him preach this morning."

In the pause that succeeded the speech the church-bell began to ring for afternoon service. Under the impression that he had lost caste in not attending upon the second stated ordinance of the sanctuary he offered a lame explanation.

"I am afraid I am not an exemplary church-goer. But I find one sermon as much as I can digest and practice from Sunday to Sunday. My mother doesn't like to hear me say it. She thinks such sentiments revolutionary and uncanonical, and no doubt she is right."

"Anybody is excusable for preferring to worship 'under green apple-boughs' to-day," observed Hester, with uncharacteristic tact. "You see we have always lived in cities, great and small. We have been used to brick walls and narrow, high houses, with paved back-yards, with cats on the fences"—disgastfully—"and wet clothes flapping in your eyes if you tried to pretend to ruralize. Every body hasn't as much imagination as Young John Chivery, who said the flapping of sheets and towels in his face 'made him feel like he was in groves.'"

"Fairhill has preserved the rural element remarkably well, when one considers her tens of thousands of inhabitants, her water-supply and electric lights," said March; "and luckily one doesn't need much imagination to help out his enjoyment of the world on this Sunday afternoon."

His tone was so respectfully familiar, his bearing so easy, the girls forgot that he was a stranger.

"It wasn't your Dickens who said it, but you can, perhaps, tell me who did write a verse that has been running in my unpoetical brain ever since I entered your fairy bower," he said by and by.

"'The orchard's all a-flutter with pink;
Robins twitter, and wild bees humming
Break the song with a thrill to think
How sweet is life when summer is coming.'

"That is the way it goes, I believe. It is a miracle for me to recollect so much rhyme. The robins and bees must have helped me out."

"I wish I knew who did that!" sighed Hester. "O! what it must be to write poetry or paint pictures!"

March's glance of mirthful suspicion changed at sight of the knotted brow and wistful eyes.

"One ought to be thankful for either gift," he said, quietly. "I was thinking just now how I should like to make a picture of what I saw as I ran up the hill. May I try some day?"

Hetty drew herself up and looked inquiry. Hester's hands fluttered, painful scarlet throbbed into her cheeks.

"Can you draw? Do you paint? Are you an *artist?*" bringing out the last word in an excited whisper.

March was too much touched to trifle with her agitation. "I try to be," he answered simply, almost reverently.

"And would you—may I—would it annoy you—Hetty! ask him. You know what I want!"

"My darling!" The cooing, comforting murmur was passing sweet. "Be quiet for one moment, and you can put what you want to say into words." As the fragile form quivered under her hand, a light seemed to dawn upon her. "You see, Mr. Gilchrist, my niece loves pictures better than any thing else—and she never has met a real, live artist before," the corners of her mouth yielding a little. "She has had a great longing to know how the beautiful things that delight her are made—how they grow into being. Is that it, dear?"

Hester nodded, her eyes luminous with tears she strove to drive back.

March struck his hands together with boyish glee.

"I have it! I will make a study of 'orchards all a-flutter with pink,' and you shall see me put in every stroke. May I begin to-morrow? Blossom-time is short. How unspeakably jolly! May we, Miss Alling?"

The proposition was so ingenious, and Hester's imploring eyes were so eloquent that the referee turned pale under the heart-wrench demur cost her.

"Dear!" she said, soothingly, to the invalid, "it would not be right to promise until we have consulted your mother. Mr. Gilchrist is very kind. Indeed"—raising an earnest face whose pallor set him to wondering—"you must believe that we do appreciate your goodness in offering her this great happiness. But—Hester, love, we *must* ask mamma."

March had seen Mrs. Wayt in church that forenoon, and been struck anew with her delicate loveliness. Could she, with that Madonna face, be a stern task-mistress? With the rise of difficulties, his desire to paint the picture increased. That this unfortunate child, with the artist-soul shining piteous through her big eyes, should see the fair creation grow under his hand had become a matter of moment. As poor Hester's effort to express acquiescence or dissent died in a hysterical gurgle, and a shamed attempt to hide her hot face with her hands, the tender-hearted fellow arose to take leave.

"I won't urge my petition until you have had time to think it over. But I don't withdraw it. May I bring my sister over to see you both? She is fond of pictures, too, and dabbles in water-colors on her own account. Excuse me—and Thor—for our unintentionally unceremonious introduction to your notice, and thank you for a delightful half-hour. Good afternoon!"

Hetty looked after him, as his elastic stride measured off the orchard-slope—a contradiction of strange mortification and strange delight warring within her. It was as if a young sun-god had paused in the entrance of a gruesome cave, and talked familiarly with the prisoners chained to the walls. With all her resolute purpose to oppose the intimacy which she foresaw must arise from the proposed scheme of picture-making, she could not ignore the straining of her spirit upon her bonds.

"Oh!" wailed Hester, lowering her hands. "I didn't mean to be so foolish! I will be brave and sensible, but you know, Hetty, I have never had any thing like this offered to me before. It is like dying with thirst with water before one's eyes, to give it up. And when he said: 'Blossom-time is short,' it rushed over me that I never had any—I can never have any. I am just a withered, useless, ugly bud that will never be a flower."

An agony of sobs followed.

"My precious one!" Hetty's tears flowed with hers. "Do I ever forget your sorrows? Are you listening, dear? If possible you shall have this one poor little pleasure. You must trust your mother's love, and mine, to deny you nothing we can safely give. If we must refuse it is only bearing a little more!"

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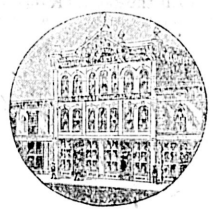

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Per Str. PREMIER from the Sound.—Matthew Richards, J Ispa, Hall, Ross & Co, John Parker, Cowan & Wilson, Moor & Co, Hughett & McIntyre.

DEATH.

CARTER—In this city, on the 13th inst., Mary, the beloved wife of Paris Carter, a native of St. Louis, Mo., aged 64 years. Due notice will be given of the funeral.

CARLETON—At the residence of his son, No. 326 Douglas street, on the 11th instant, of heart disease, George N. Carleton, a native of Massachusetts, aged 75 years.

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" Premier	"	The Sound.
" Olympian	"	"
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Str. Islander	for	Vancouver.
" Mexico	"	Port Townsend.
" Premier	"	The Sound.
" Olympian	"	"
" Whitelaw	"	San Francisco.
" Alert	"	Nanaimo.
" Isabel	"	"
" Vancouver	"	Vancouver.
" Emma	"	"
" Hope	"	Comox.
" Daisy	"	Chemainus.
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LOCAL.

The sealer E. B. Marvin, after having completed her repairs, will be launched to morrow afternoon.

Str. Pilot is going on the Star ways to be thoroughly overhauled and repaired, and will have her boilers overhauled by the Albion Iron Works.

Steamer Whitelaw left yesterday with the barge Alexander, laden with scrap iron, for San Francisco.

Bark Valley Forge and ship Alex. McNeil are loading coal for San Francisco at Nanaimo.

Ship America sailed for San Francisco yesterday with 3,100 tons of N. V. Co.'s coal.

Steamer Thistle came down from Comox yesterday with 150 tons of coal for the Albion Iron Works.

Steamer Hope brought in a large boom of logs from Valdez Island yesterday for the Sayward mills.

Steamer Mexico arrived down from Alaska at 9 p.m. on Sunday, with a few passengers and a light freight. The latter consisted in part of 33 hair seals, 9 fur seals and a quantity of rice, for this city. She had also 4,000 cases of Alaska salmon for shipment to Eastern Canada.

Sealing schooner Lily is receiving a new bowsprit.

Sealing schooner Mary Taylor has left for the North Pacific ocean on a late hunting cruise.

Str. R. P. Rithet did not arrive till very late on Sunday night.

The steamer Danube is to have steam heaters in her cabins, thus doing away with the old-fashioned stoves.

Steamer City of Kingston is expected to resume her regular trips to-morrow.

Yesterday afternoon the steamer Princess Louise arrived at the Outer wharf from the North with a full passenger list, both cabin and deck. Among the former were Messrs. Cunningham, Byrnes, McDowell and Drainey. She had also between 7,000 and 8,000 cases of salmon, a quantity of skins and other freight.

The ship Alaska which sailed for San Francisco from Port Townsend about ten days ago, was towed back to Tacoma last Saturday by the tug Goliath. The Alaska sprung a leak off Cape Flattery during the storm, and became water-logged. Her cargo of coal will be partially transferred to the ship Two Brothers.

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LITTLE LOCALS.

H. M. S. Espiegle leaves on a short cruise to-day.

H.M.S. Champion sailed for the South yesterday.

The School Trustees meet at the city hall this evening.

H.M.S. Warspite is not expected to leave Esquimalt until about the fifth of November.

The Earl and Countess of Aberdeen paid the Provincial museum a visit yesterday afternoon.

A large assortment of L. X. L. and Roger's cuttlery at 91 Douglas street.

The steamer Premier last evening brought over one car nails, one car wheat and three cars of sheep.

Corporation employes are working a needed reform in the sanitary condition of Langley street.

The new hall in Victoria West was formally opened with a pleasant social and concert last evening.

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The damage by fire to the residence of Mr. E. J. Palmer, of Chemainus, is estimated at little over $100.

The Sir William Wallace Society meet tonight to conclude arrangements for a Hallow E'en concert and dance.

Preparations for the approaching dramatic entertainment under the auspices of the Y.M.I. are advancing satisfactorily.

The solemn right of confirmation was administered to a special class of candidates in the Reformed Episcopal church, Sunday.

Mr. H. G. Lewis, when at Bonilla Point on Friday last, saw the Indian that was shot by Jailer Allen, and reports him to be in a very precarious state.

Another carload of stoves at Geo. Powell & co.s, Cheapside.

Artistic novelties in bamboo furniture, just received by John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street.

D. S. McLeod, the Olympic club champion, formerly of Nanaimo, has a match on with McInerney, the Irish wrestler, for $1,000 a side, catch-as-catch-can.

The harvest festival services were repeated in St. John's and Cedar Hill Episcopal churches on Sunday, both of these places of worship being still adorned with the fruits of the harvest.

The smoke protectors for firemen, recently invented by a member of the Victoria brigade and described in a late issue of THE COLONIST, were proved a success at Sunday morning's fire.

Razors in cases, ladies companions, a new line of pocket cutlery and shaving materials, just arrived, at Fox's, 78 Government street.

The sealer who distinguished himself by flourishing a revolver in a Johnson street saloon on Saturday night, was, strange to say, liberated by the police yesterday, on the explanation being furnished that the man was drunk.

During yesterday afternoon the Earl of Aberdeen was escorted around the city by Mr. T. R. Smith, of the Hudson Bay Co., and dined with the Lieut.-Governor in the evening.

Complaints are made of one or two dogs which are accustomed not only to make the night hideous with their howlings, but are sources of danger to pedestrians. Indeed, one gentleman was attacked and seriously bitten by one of the brutes on View street.

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Mr. John Hall and Ald. Robertson returned from Shawnigan Lake last evening with well-filled baskets of delicious trout. Mr. Hall, who did not forget his friends, reports having had excellent sport, and was delighted with this, his first visit, to the lake.

Rumor has it that a young man who has figured prominently in good society here, has departed for some section unknown, much to the disgust of numerous creditors, who mourn his absence to the extent of a thousand dollars or more.

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The Ladies' Sodality of St. Andrew's, R. C., met on Sunday afternoon, and elected the following officers for the ensuing term: President, Miss McDowell; vice president, Miss Skinner; treasurer, Miss M. J. Campbell; secretary, Miss McNiff. The preliminary steps were taken towards the formation of a Young Women's Institute.

The C. P. R. are selling excursion tickets to Banff and return at $35. These tickets are limited to 60 days and allow passengers the privilege of stopping off at Harrison Hot Springs, Glacier and Field. A. Cameron, agent.

In addition to the usual drunks to come before the police magistrate this morning, will be a Chinese pedlar who neglected to take out a license. There will also be a couple of Johnson street sewer cases, an action for assault, and a case against the keeper and inmates of a disorderly house on Douglas street.

Programme.

PART II.

Notice in particular our attractions in millinery and mantles, of the latest and most popular styles, show room 2nd floor where Mrs. Hall, will be pleased to show you the new goods. Lansdowne House, Yates St. John Partridge, prop.

PERSONAL.

Hon. Justice Crease has returned from the Mainland.

Percy Debarret, of Philadelphia, is visiting relatives here.

Lowther Bridger and wife, of England, are at the Driard.

Capt. William Moore has returned from two years' residence in Alaska.

Joseph Hunter, M.P.P., and wife have taken tickets for San Francisco by the Walla Walla on the 16th.

T. B. Greening, wholesale grocer of Hamilton, with Mrs. Greening, is at the Driard.

G. M. Damon, of Honolulu, who has been spending several days in town, left for San Francisco last evening.

Professor Drummond came over from the Sound last evening to renew his acquaintance with the Earl of Aberdeen.

E. A. Wilmot, C. E., and family, came over on the Islander Sunday night, from New Westminster, to reside in Victoria.

Rev. C. Pitblado, formerly of Winnipeg, passed through Victoria yesterday, after a visit to Nanaimo, to which he had received a ministerial call. He left last night for the Sound.

W. H. Rowles, advance agent of Clara Morris, was in the city last evening, arranging for her appearance at The Victoria next Monday and Tuesday evening. She has made her fame in "Camille" and "New Magdalene."

Miss Kate McGregor, late organist of the Baptist church, Winnipeg, has arrived to make her home in this city, where her parents reside. She was regarded as one of the most popular and able vocalists of the Manitoba capital, and, prior to her departure, was presented with a handsome gold watch by her admiring friends.

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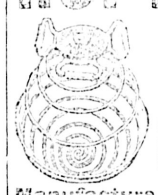

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